

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA
HELENA DIVISION

RONALD M. TRIMP,

Plaintiff,

vs.

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL
SECURITY,

Defendant.

CV 23-79-H-KLD

ORDER

Plaintiff Ronald M. Trimp, by and through his attorney, Eric Rasmusson, moves under the Equal Access to Justice Act (“EAJA”), 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d), for attorney fees and costs incurred in prosecuting his Social Security appeal. (Doc. 16). Plaintiff requests \$5,327.40 in fees and \$402.00 in filing costs. Plaintiff’s motion is unopposed. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that Plaintiff’s Application for Award of EAJA Fees and Costs is GRANTED. Plaintiff shall recover from the Commissioner \$5,327.40 in fees, as well as \$402.00 in filing costs.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if the Commissioner determines upon effectuation of the Court’s EAJA fee order that Plaintiff does not owe a debt that is

subject to offset under the Treasury Offset Program, the fees will be made payable to Plaintiff's attorney. However, if there is a debt owed under the Treasury Offset Program, the remaining EAJA fees after offset will be paid by a check made out to Plaintiff but delivered to Plaintiff's attorney.

DATED this 5th day of August, 2024.



Kathleen L. DeSoto
United States Magistrate Judge